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The Request for the status of application dated 09/05/08 has been entered. It is noted that the Response dated 10/04/07 from Appellant has been considered and entered. The Response dated 10/04/07 is a confirmation that the Responses dated 7/20/07 were not amendments and were just explanations. As stated in the Advisory Action dated 10/01/07, these Responses have not and will not be entered since they are not amendments nor supplemental responses to the Brief. They are only explanations as confirmed by Appellant in the response dated 10/04/07. This case is being forwarded to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.

/Xuan Lan Nguyen/ 11-25-08 Primary Examiner Art Unit: 3657